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JUDGE DAVID WORLEY RETIRES

Judge David Worley retired on May 20, 2024, from the Superior Court of California, County of Ventura after more than 17 years of dedicated service.

Judge Worley was appointed as Judge of the Ventura Superior Court by former Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger on May 16, 2008 and was administered the oath of office the same day filling the vacancy created by the retirement of Judge Thomas Hutchins. Prior to his judicial appointment, he was selected in 2007 as a Court Commissioner by the Judges of the Ventura Superior Court and served in that position until his judicial appointment. During his tenure as a Court judicial officer Judge Worley was assigned to civil, criminal and juvenile matters, and he also served as a Supervising Judge of the Simi Valley Courthouse.

Before he joined the Ventura Superior Court, Judge Worley served as a partner in the law firm Wojkowski & Worley, LLP, in Oxnard from 2003 to 2007. From 1990 to 2002, he was a partner in Arnold, Back, Mayfield, Mathews, Wojkowski & Zirbel and, from 1984 to 1990, he was an associate and then partner with the law firm Nordman, Cormany, Hair & Compton. His areas of practice included land use, real estate transactions, business transactions, civil litigation, will and trust disputes, and alternative dispute resolution. From 1981 through 1984, he served as a Deputy District Attorney for the Ventura County District Attorney's Office.

Notable honors include Judge Worley receiving the Knights of Columbus Council #750 Public Safety Award (2019) in recognition of his public safety contributions to the community.

Judge Worley graduated with honors from California State College at Bakersfield. He also attended the United States Military Academy at West Point. He earned his Juris Doctorate degree from Loyola University of Los Angeles.

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